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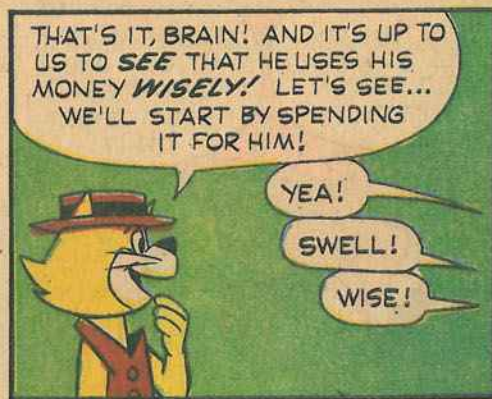


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MEANWHILE...













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**Top Cat**

# CITY CATS ON CAMP-OUT

LAKE ITCHY-GOOMY, WHERE EACH YEAR MANY BOYS COME TO SPEND A FEW WEEKS IN THE GREAT OUTDOORS...



MANY BOYS... AND A FEW CATS...















AND SO IT IS. THE CITIFIED KITTIES  
MANAGE TO BOTCH UP EVERY FORM  
OF CAMPCRAFT FROM ROWING...



...TO HIKING...





I'M NOT CALLED BRAIN FOR NAUGHT!  
IF YOU MUST GO ON A HIKE, THIS IS  
THE ONLY WAY!



THAT'S THE **LAST STRAW!** THANK  
GOODNESS THIS IS YOUR LAST DAY IN  
CAMP! YOU GUYS HAVE BEEN  
NOTHING BUT TROUBLE!



AWW, NO HARD FEELINGS, DIB! WE  
JUST HAD A HARD TIME GETTING  
USED TO THIS OPEN-AIR BIT!  
WE'RE NOT BAD GUYS!

THAT'S  
DEBATABLE!



COME ON, BOYS! IT'S  
TIME TO WHIP UP  
DINNER!

YEA!



UH, OH! LOOKS LIKE SOMEBODY BEAT US  
TO OUR DINNER! STAY BACK, KIDS! HE  
LOOKS LIKE A MEAN ONE!

GROWWL! (MUNCH!)  
(MUNCH!) (SLURRP!)



I DON'T CARE HOW MEAN HE IS,  
I'VE GOT A MEAN APPETITE! LET'S  
GET HIM AWAY FROM THAT FOOD!

HOW?

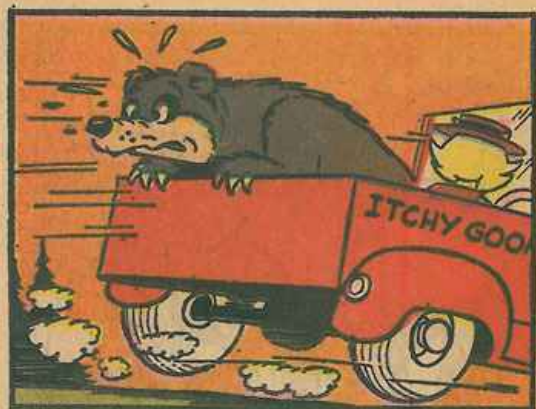


GROWWL!

THE OLD CITY-TYPE GAME  
OF KEEP-AWAY!















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"Tum, ta-dum," a wildcat hummed to himself as he crept through the woods to the duck pond. "I'll fool Yakky Doodle today for sure. I've been practicing duck-talk until I sound more like one than he does."

The wildcat concealed himself by the edge of the duck pond.

"Quackety-quack," he called. "I'm a poor lost duck. Will someone help me?"

"Wak!" Yakky called from the center of the pond. "I'll help you out, friend."

The wildcat became so anxious to capture Yakky that he slipped into the water. With a cry, he leaped back to dry land.

Catching a glimpse of the wildcat, Yakky quickly sped to the other side of the pond calling, "I'll be right along!"

There, a new danger confronted Yakky. Unknown to either the duckling or the wildcat, a prowling coyote was resting in the tall grass on that side of the pond. As Yakky swam close to shore, the coyote scooped him up with a growl of triumph.

"Wak! This sure is an unlucky day for little ducks," Yakky groaned, as the coyote held him fast.

"But it's a lucky day for me," the coyote grinned. "Although," he added, "I must admit that I would much prefer to have captured that big duck I heard on the other side of the pond. A little piece of fluff like you isn't much of a meal."

"Hmmm," Yakky thought to himself, as he listened to the coyote's comment with interest. "Maybe I can turn my bad luck into good luck and get rid of both of my enemies at the same time."

Squirming around in the coyote's grasp, Yakky pleaded, "Put me down a minute, and

I'll tell you how you can capture that 'big duck,' if you'll promise to let me go."

The coyote stopped at once, his eyes shining with anticipation.

"It's a deal," he growled eagerly.

"Just follow behind me so you won't be seen," Yakky instructed. "We'll creep around the tall grass to the other side of the pond. I'll call to the other 'duck,' and I'll tell him I'm coming over."

"Then," the coyote concluded, "when we get close enough, I'll jump on him! Lead on, ducky, I'm right behind you."

Yakky Doodle waddled through the grass, hoping that the wildcat would not see the coyote creeping along behind him.

"Yoo-hoo, Mr. Big Duck in the bushes," he called. "I'm coming over to see you."

Over in the thick bush, the wildcat giggled with glee.

"He didn't see me, after all!" he tittered. "Boy, is he going to get a surprise?"

Closer and closer Yakky waddled toward the bush. When he was just a few feet away, the wildcat sprang out of the bush. At the same moment, the coyote leaped up from the grass behind the duckling.

For a brief time, fur flew in all directions; but then, since neither one of the animals wanted to tangle with the other, they pelted off in opposite directions.

Yakky had hurried back into his pond as soon as the fur began to fly.

"Wak!" he now laughed with relief. "Mr. Wildcat will think twice before he tries to imitate a big duck again. As a matter of fact, something tells me it'll be a long time before either of those characters come around my duck pond again!"





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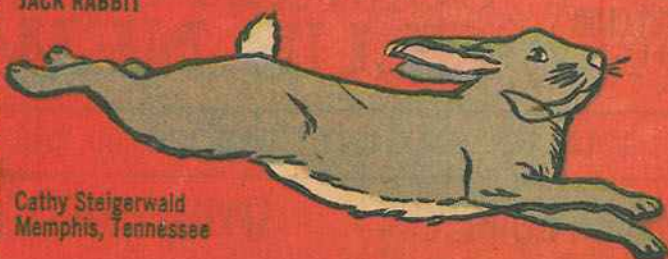


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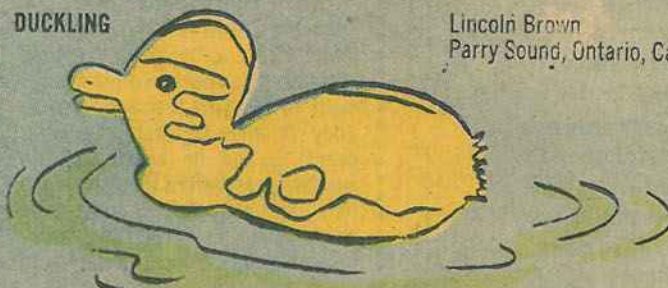
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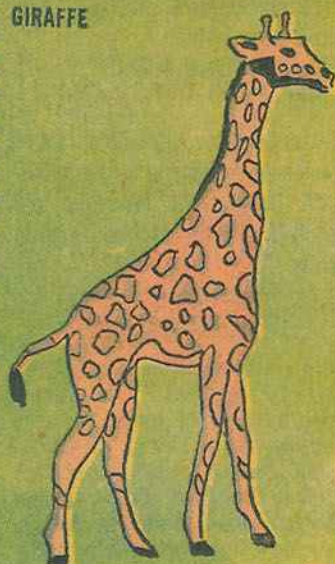
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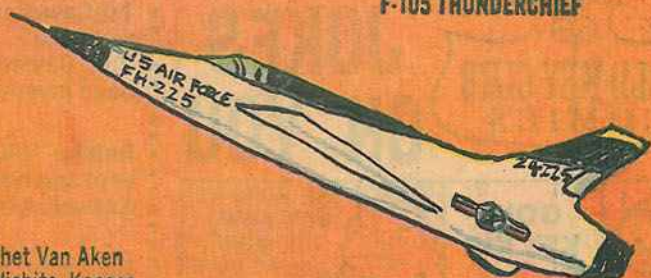


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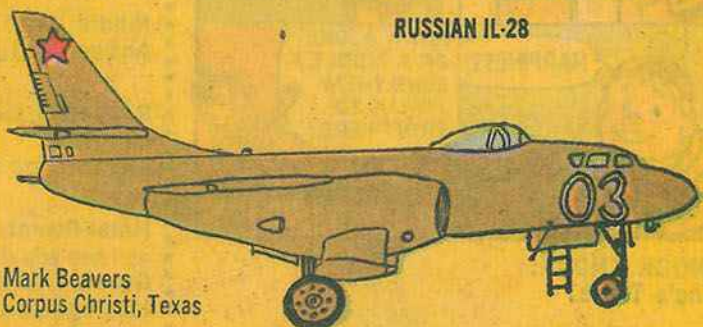
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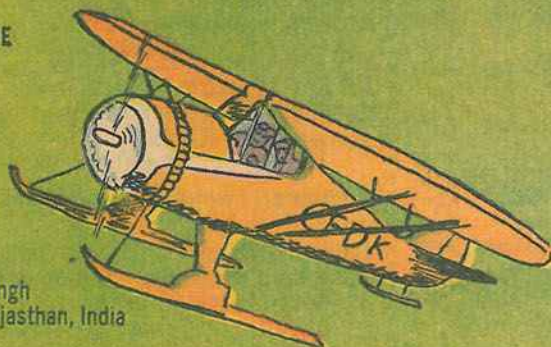
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# JOKES ON YOU



## KNOCK KNOCK! Who's There?

**Arthur.**  
**Arthur who?**  
**Arthurmometer is broken.**  
Juanita Lorenzana—Willows, California

**Alec who?**  
**Alectricity runs through wires.**  
Justine Nichols—Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

**Sarah who?**  
**Sarah doctor in the house?**  
Elise Lundebly—Cando, North Dakota

**Alison who?**  
**Alison Wonderland.**  
Scott Anderson—New Delhi, India

**Shelby who?**  
**Shelby coming 'round the mountain when she comes.**  
Miechelle Cagle—Brownwood, Texas

**Burton who?**  
**Burton up your overcoat.**  
Mary E. Strand—Eau Claire, Wisconsin

**Susan:** Have you had your ears pierced?  
**Jane:** No, but I've had them bored.  
Rita St. Peter—North Anson, Maine

**Riddle:** What did the big hand say to the little hand?  
**Answer:** I'll see you in an hour.  
Brian Cole—Security, Colorado

**1st Caveman:** What would you do if you were in my shoes?  
**2nd Caveman:** I don't know. Shoes haven't been invented yet!  
David Rifkind—Tucson, Arizona

**Riddle:** What's the difference between one yard and two yards?  
**Answer:** A fence.  
Ronda Johnson—Jackson, Michigan

**Big Sister:** Ask Mom if we can go to the show.  
**Little Sister:** You ask her. You've known her longer.  
Kristine Scheef—Fairmont, Minnesota

**Riddle:** What is most useful when it is used up?  
**Answer:** An umbrella.  
Kelly Hayden—Amite, Louisiana

**Riddle:** What did the adding machine say to the clerk?  
**Answer:** You can count on me!  
Timmy Bessler—Fort Mitchell, Kentucky

**Hotel Owner:** I won't charge you for breakfast as I see you didn't eat it.  
**Guest:** That's good—by the way, I didn't sleep last night, either.  
Beth Elmore—Ramstein Air Base, Germany

**Riddle:** What ten-letter word starts with "gas?"  
**Answer:** "Automobile."  
Jaynee Clark—Green Fork, Indiana

**Teacher:** Marvin, tell us where we find elephants.  
**Marvin:** We do not have to find elephants. They are so big they never get lost.  
Barbara Gimmy—Springfield, Ohio

**Riddle:** Why did the little boy sleep on the chandelier?  
**Answer:** Because he was a light sleeper.  
Tommy M. Lennon—Peru, Indiana

**Riddle:** What is it that belongs to you but other people are always using it?  
**Answer:** Your name.  
Lisa Gaddy—McColl, South Carolina

**1st Boy:** My radio can pick up Europe and Asia.  
**2nd Boy:** I can stick my head out the window and get chilly (Chile).  
Robert Innocenti—Wheaton, Maryland

**Customer:** I would like to buy some long underwear.

**Salesman:** How long do you want it?  
**Customer:** From September until the middle of March.  
Jeanne Uges—Eastham, Massachusetts

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Hanna-Barbara **Snagglepuss**

# A KNIGHT WHO WORKS DAYS

HEAVENS TO MURGATROYD! A MILLION IN GOLD JUST FOR GIVING ADVICE! THAT'S THE KIND OF JOB I'M GOING TO GET!

PERSONAL  
ADVISOR TO  
WEALTHY MAN  
GIVEN  
MILLION  
IN GOLD  
FOR GOOD  
ADVICE!

ALL I HAVE TO DO IS FIND SOME-  
BODY WHO NEEDS ADVICE!

(PUFF! PUFF!) I  
CAN JUST MAKE  
IT IF I HURRY!

OOF! **CRASH!** CLANG!

GADZOOKS! MY VISOR IS STUCK  
TIGHT! I CAN'T SEE A THING!

WELL, NO TIME TO FIX THIS VISOR  
NOW! I'VE GOT TO KEEP GOING!























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SING ALONG WITH BENNY



















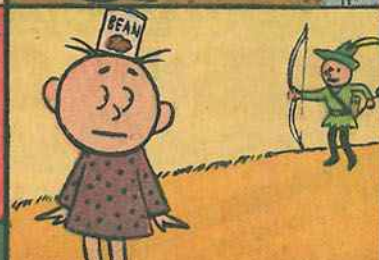








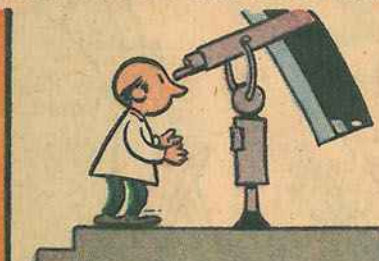
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